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Sir:

Appellant is in receipt of the Notice of Hearing scheduling a hearing for this appeal at 9 AM Eastern time on March 8, 2005. Appellant hereby requests to participate in the hearing via telephone. While Appellant is prepared to participate in the hearing at the currently scheduled time, he notes that this would be at 6 AM for Appellant's counsel located on the west coast. Accordingly, Appellant would be grateful if the hearing could be rescheduled for a time that is in the afternoon, Eastern time, on either the presently scheduled day or a nearby day.

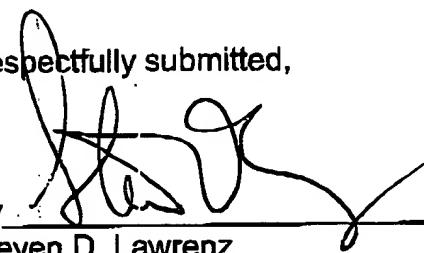
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| Appellant: | Robbins, Mark |
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| Hearing Room: | A |
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| Hearing Date: | Tuesday, March 08, 2005 |
| Hearing Time: | 9:00 AM |
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37 CFR § 1.136(a) does not apply.

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